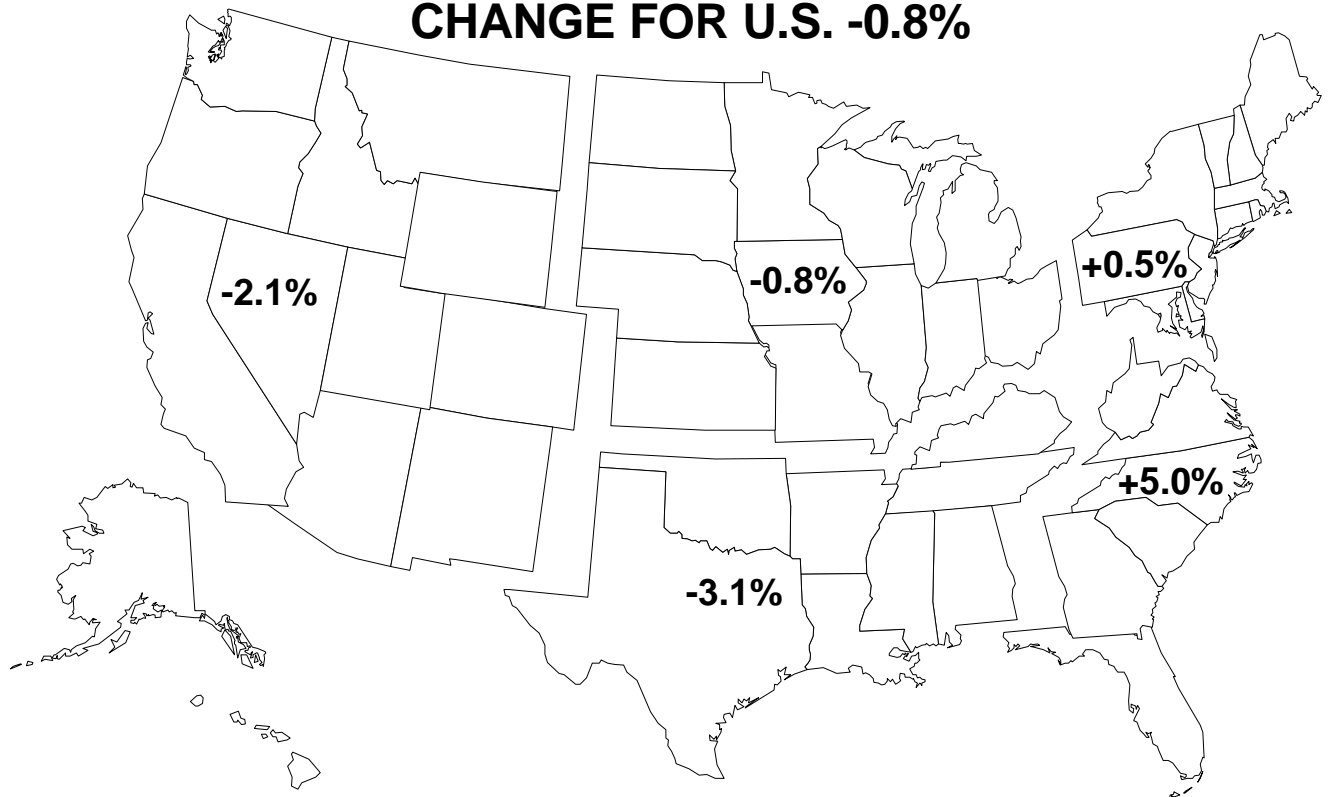


MONTHLY MOTOR FUEL REPORTED BY STATES

MARCH 1997

**NATIONAL GASOLINE SALES
JANUARY-MARCH
1996 vs. 1997**

CHANGE FOR U.S. -0.8%



BASED ON ALL REPORTED 1997 DATA

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Motor Fuel Trends

Gasoline Sales

Based on reports of 25 States, gasoline consumption for January-March 1997 decreased by 0.7 percent compared to the same period in 1996.¹ During this period, vehicle-miles of travel increased by 2.9 percent.

The gasoline volume shown in this report is a cumulative tabulation of gross volume reported by wholesale distributors to State motor fuel tax agencies. It includes highway use, nonhighway use and losses. There is a lag of up to 6 weeks between the wholesale transactions reported and retail sales to consumers. Travel trends are reported monthly in *Traffic Volume Trends* based on actual traffic counts at permanent traffic recorders operated by the State highway agencies and, thus, reflect only highway use of fuel. The vehicle-miles reported include all vehicles, regardless of fuel type. While data in both reports reflect changes in trends, large monthly changes can be caused by exceptional weather conditions, variations in timing of holidays, or processing delays.

Motor Fuel Taxation

All States levy volume taxes on gasoline and diesel fuel. The rates in effect for 1997 are shown in Table MF-121T. The gasoline rates vary from a low of 7.5 cents per gallon to 39 cents with an average of 19.73 cents. Five States provide for full or partial exemptions for gasohol, a blend of 90 percent gasoline and 10 percent fuel alcohol. Diesel fuel rates vary from 7.5 cents to 29 cents per gallon.

Traditionally, State fuel tax rates could only be changed with legislation, but 11 States now have variable rate motor fuel taxes. These taxes are adjusted at specified intervals—annually, semiannually, or quarterly—usually on the basis of an index or formula specified in the enabling legislation. These States are identified in the notes on Table MF-121T. Adjustments to variable rate taxes are announced by State tax agencies shortly before the effective date of the change. In addition to rate changes under variable rate tax laws, the following rate changes are anticipated through the end of 1998:

Connecticut	Effective 7/1/97, the tax rates for gasoline and gasohol will decrease by 3 cents. Decreases of 3 cents are also scheduled for 7/1/98.
North Dakota	Effective 1/1/98, the tax rates for gasoline and diesel will decrease by 3 cents.

¹ This percentage change is a comparison for those States for which data are available for the report month. However, the percentage increase on the national map is a comparison of cumulative data for all States for which any 1996 data are available.

COMPARISON OF GROSS VOLUME OF GASOLINE

REPORTED BY STATES ¹

ABLE MF-33G
JUNE 1997

STATE	(GALLONS)								
	JANUARY 1997 (38 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		FEBRUARY 1997 (33 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		MARCH 1997 (25 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}
Alabama	183,726,918	183,726,918	-0.7	176,823,408	360,550,326	1.2	198,635,119	559,185,445	2.3
Alaska	20,858,408	20,858,408	-13.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arkansas	114,403,230	114,403,230	44.6	104,348,590	218,751,820	9.6	112,652,855	331,404,675	14.4
California	1,074,099,000	1,074,099,000	1.6	1,004,128,000	2,078,227,000	-1.9	1,139,539,000	3,217,766,000	-1.9
Colorado	143,347,068	143,347,068	4.8	134,464,462	277,811,530	1.7	153,408,778	431,220,308	2.5
Connecticut	119,813,904	119,813,904	-4.2	108,481,892	228,295,796	-7.2	126,919,686	355,215,482	-4.4
Delaware	27,991,392	27,991,392	9.3	26,211,492	54,202,884	4.6	29,101,255	83,304,139	3.4
Dist. of Col.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	32,388,843	32,388,843	-4.9	32,010,632	64,399,475	1.3	30,118,310	94,517,785	-7.0
Idaho	43,921,628	43,921,628	-1.3	47,807,881	91,729,509	-0.3	-	-	-
Illinois	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kansas	107,392,026	107,392,026	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kentucky	7,450,622	7,450,622	-94.9	149,815,562	157,266,184	-48.5	177,538,927	334,805,111	-29.0
Louisiana	148,566,590	148,566,590	-11.0	151,403,022	299,969,612	-7.7	-	-	-
Maine	30,922,118	30,922,118	-62.2	90,522,850	121,444,968	-8.8	-	-	-
Maryland	183,022,825	183,022,825	16.0	167,205,265	350,228,090	8.9	187,242,721	537,470,811	6.5
Massachusetts	208,287,378	208,287,378	3.8	189,968,937	398,256,315	1.1	-	-	-
Michigan	350,695,456	350,695,456	-6.0	358,283,615	708,979,071	-0.9	-	-	-
Minnesota	183,639,875	183,639,875	-1.1	170,662,103	354,301,978	-2.0	183,236,976	537,538,954	-2.0
Mississippi	105,021,875	105,021,875	-12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Missouri	231,397,863	231,397,863	3.5	217,743,521	449,141,384	0.9	243,568,200	692,709,584	-0.2
Montana	33,682,852	33,682,852	-2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	66,004,545	66,004,545	3.1	57,705,180	123,709,725	-0.8	68,523,454	192,233,179	0.8
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Hampshire	49,199,434	49,199,434	3.1	44,422,851	93,622,285	0.6	49,026,596	142,648,881	2.4
New Jersey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Mexico	63,693,117	63,693,117	-16.6	67,150,157	130,843,274	-12.1	74,070,576	204,913,850	-5.1
New York	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina	311,631,833	311,631,833	11.7	281,850,097	593,481,930	7.7	325,401,187	918,883,117	5.8
North Dakota	25,461,481	25,461,481	-2.7	22,954,080	48,415,561	-5.7	27,303,840	75,719,401	-3.0
Ohio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma	132,314,900	132,314,900	-9.5	129,858,089	262,172,989	-9.1	149,364,316	411,537,305	-6.9
Oregon	108,277,775	108,277,775	-2.9	126,815,146	235,092,921	10.2	117,496,012	352,588,933	1.6
Pennsylvania	388,298,860	388,298,860	11.5	352,191,979	740,490,839	4.0	-	-	-
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	160,563,150	160,563,150	7.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	29,412,243	29,412,243	1.8	27,513,943	56,926,186	-1.8	-	-	-
Tennessee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Texas	756,845,447	756,845,447	-1.8	734,864,669	1,491,710,116	-1.2	837,406,852	2,329,116,968	0.6
Utah	73,393,151	73,393,151	5.1	68,603,909	141,997,060	2.9	75,744,972	217,742,032	3.1
Vermont	27,137,555	27,137,555	3.7	24,609,141	51,746,696	6.4	23,612,019	75,358,715	2.2
Virginia	290,701,007	290,701,007	24.6	234,757,806	525,458,813	8.0	266,570,566	792,029,379	2.4
Washington	199,709,007	199,709,007	4.1	156,902,919	356,611,926	-11.7	244,926,142	601,538,068	-3.6
West Virginia	56,558,625	56,558,625	10.6	58,993,365	115,551,990	5.9	70,034,528	185,586,518	6.7
Wisconsin	184,675,071	184,675,071	-1.1	170,072,175	354,747,246	-3.0	189,783,782	544,531,028	-1.7
Wyoming	17,491,265	17,491,265	-37.8	25,561,238	43,052,503	-18.3	-	-	-
U.S. Total ^{2/}	6,291,998,337	6,291,998,337	-0.7	5,714,707,976	11,579,188,002	-1.5	5,101,226,669	14,219,565,668	-0.7
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total ^{2/}	6,291,998,337	6,291,998,337	-0.7	5,714,707,976	11,579,188,002	-1.5	5,101,226,669	14,219,565,668	-0.7

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TABLE MF-33G
JUNE 1997

STATE	(GALLONS)								
	JANUARY 1996 (51 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		FEBRUARY 1996 (51 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		MARCH 1996 (51 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/
Alabama	184,947,750	184,947,750	4.0	171,325,494	356,273,244	3.0	190,245,038	546,518,282	0.8
Alaska	24,132,073	24,132,073	126.8	19,504,721	43,636,794	-17.4	22,058,222	65,695,016	-5.8
Arizona	157,527,538	157,527,538	40.6	180,442,057	337,969,595	41.3	195,582,574	533,552,169	11.2
Arkansas	79,135,135	79,135,135	169.1	120,508,065	199,643,200	-6.0	90,070,906	289,714,106	-5.9
California	1,057,052,000	1,057,052,000	3.3	1,061,413,000	2,118,465,000	4.2	1,160,800,000	3,279,265,000	4.2
Colorado	136,811,394	136,811,394	2.7	136,387,077	273,198,471	5.3	147,696,246	420,894,717	4.1
Connecticut	125,056,013	125,056,013	16.6	120,881,585	245,937,598	16.3	125,578,456	371,516,054	14.2
Delaware	25,602,614	25,602,614	-6.4	26,192,003	51,794,617	-6.1	28,802,436	80,597,053	-4.0
Dist. of Col.	12,732,916	12,732,916	43.5	13,763,092	26,496,008	21.4	15,406,855	41,902,863	11.2
Florida	568,098,856	568,098,856	-0.2	563,033,367	1,131,132,223	0.2	564,354,685	1,695,486,908	2.0
Georgia	331,835,674	331,835,674	3.0	323,026,135	654,861,809	4.4	364,549,055	1,019,410,864	3.7
Hawaii	34,066,536	34,066,536	2.7	29,479,429	63,545,965	4.7	38,073,038	101,619,003	4.3
Idaho	44,310,456	44,310,456	-1.9	47,284,208	91,594,664	4.9	44,481,966	136,076,630	4.7
Illinois	383,051,413	383,051,413	3.2	363,149,434	746,200,847	2.8	352,237,575	1,098,438,422	2.4
Indiana	206,688,529	206,688,529	-7.0	238,368,927	445,057,456	4.0	244,299,246	689,356,702	1.7
Iowa	114,441,091	114,441,091	3.0	110,837,163	225,278,254	4.9	118,526,398	343,804,652	7.4
Kansas	101,843,367	101,843,367	3.1	99,480,539	201,323,906	5.0	108,088,851	309,412,757	3.6
Kentucky	147,226,283	147,226,283	7.8	158,267,252	305,493,535	1.6	166,339,490	471,833,025	1.1
Louisiana	166,981,639	166,981,639	6.0	158,004,645	324,986,284	7.3	174,040,158	499,026,442	4.3
Maine	81,897,708	81,897,708	126.1	51,194,356	133,092,064	38.3	29,991,401	163,083,465	10.7
Maryland	157,723,852	157,723,852	-6.9	163,783,188	321,507,040	-4.1	183,377,042	504,884,082	0.1
Massachusetts	200,744,825	200,744,825	3.7	193,363,588	394,108,413	4.6	204,101,721	598,210,134	2.6
Michigan	373,158,412	373,158,412	16.0	341,990,879	715,149,291	11.6	349,533,995	1,064,683,286	4.2
Minnesota	185,717,122	185,717,122	2.4	175,780,758	361,497,880	5.8	187,055,558	548,553,438	4.8
Mississippi	119,326,111	119,326,111	15.3	103,223,827	222,549,938	6.8	116,578,149	339,128,087	0.4
Missouri	223,657,610	223,657,610	1.5	221,276,152	444,933,762	3.0	249,191,996	694,121,996	2.0
Montana	34,545,205	34,545,205	4.8	34,789,003	69,334,208	8.4	41,203,090	110,537,298	11.2
Nebraska	64,005,593	64,005,593	-3.1	60,759,736	124,765,329	-0.3	65,871,499	190,636,828	0.3
Nevada	63,436,323	63,436,323	2.4	61,643,622	125,079,945	4.2	60,240,289	185,320,234	5.8
New Hampshire	47,725,344	47,725,344	10.0	45,327,924	93,053,268	9.7	46,244,055	139,297,323	7.1
New Jersey	268,674,495	268,674,495	-6.4	272,452,152	541,126,647	-1.6	303,667,781	844,794,428	-1.3
New Mexico	76,385,115	76,385,115	91.4	72,516,763	148,901,878	9.5	72,285,510	221,187,388	4.5
New York	454,750,261	454,750,261	-1.4	434,381,834	889,132,095	4.4	460,436,229	1,349,568,324	1.0
North Carolina	278,995,011	278,995,011	1.7	272,310,990	551,306,001	0.8	317,359,844	868,665,845	1.5
North Dakota	26,176,708	26,176,708	23.1	25,171,784	51,348,492	2.7	26,698,892	78,047,384	1.6
Ohio	401,998,314	401,998,314	2.8	367,755,840	769,754,154	1.3	394,498,082	1,164,252,236	0.0
Oklahoma	146,125,560	146,125,560	8.2	142,245,638	288,371,198	3.2	153,762,858	442,134,056	4.4
Oregon	111,557,106	111,557,106	84.5	101,861,994	213,419,100	9.5	133,774,626	347,193,726	4.3
Pennsylvania	348,139,918	348,139,918	-6.0	364,165,696	712,305,614	-0.4	392,926,382	1,105,231,996	-1.0
Rhode Island	31,140,848	31,140,848	3.0	31,140,848	62,281,696	3.0	31,140,850	93,422,546	3.0
South Carolina	149,093,327	149,093,327	-1.9	149,383,858	298,477,185	-0.2	158,155,470	456,632,655	-2.9
South Dakota	28,891,819	28,891,819	-1.6	29,076,570	57,968,389	1.0	31,224,577	89,192,966	-0.7
Tennessee	229,799,299	229,799,299	-4.8	186,750,387	416,549,686	0.2	232,753,469	649,303,155	3.6
Texas	771,071,638	771,071,638	20.7	738,789,923	1,509,861,561	13.3	804,794,067	2,314,655,628	11.2
Utah	69,834,255	69,834,255	2.7	68,103,754	137,938,009	3.5	73,246,804	211,184,813	2.9
Vermont	26,159,797	26,159,797	10.0	22,474,248	48,634,045	8.9	25,085,414	73,719,459	8.5
Virginia	233,282,102	233,282,102	-12.9	253,325,263	486,607,365	-4.6	287,011,613	773,618,978	-2.6
Washington	191,804,584	191,804,584	1.4	212,192,402	403,996,986	9.0	220,072,636	624,069,622	8.2
West Virginia	51,155,686	51,155,686	-18.8	58,005,184	109,160,870	-11.1	64,713,325	173,874,195	-8.3
Wisconsin	186,793,043	186,793,043	7.6	178,828,815	365,621,858	7.3	188,169,930	553,791,788	4.5
Wyoming	28,109,131	28,109,131	26.5	25,115,828	52,724,959	12.2	22,055,979	74,780,938	6.2
U.S. Total 2/	9,563,417,399	9,563,417,399	5.5	9,400,030,997	18,963,448,396	4.5	10,078,454,328	29,041,902,724	3.2
Puerto Rico	87,576,616	87,576,616	10.6	111,627,983	199,204,599	19.7	82,381,091	281,585,690	15.0
Grand Total 2/	9,650,994,015	9,650,994,015	5.5	9,511,658,980	19,162,652,995	4.6	10,160,835,419	29,323,488,414	3.3

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STATE	(GALLONS)								
	APRIL 1996 (50 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		MAY 1996 (50 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		JUNE 1996 (50 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}
Alabama	199,764,010	746,282,292	2.9	208,635,555	954,917,847	3.3	193,001,858	1,147,919,705	2.2
Alaska	20,567,618	86,262,634	-18.2	23,612,147	109,874,781	-16.5	27,711,939	137,586,720	-9.9
Arizona	177,527,262	711,079,431	9.1	167,674,574	878,754,005	7.1	162,556,396	1,041,310,401	5.6
Arkansas	125,681,408	415,395,514	-0.6	119,140,857	534,536,371	-2.0	149,492,241	684,028,612	4.5
California	1,124,117,000	4,403,382,000	4.6	1,128,668,000	5,532,050,000	3.7	1,112,824,000	6,644,874,000	2.8
Colorado	143,339,547	564,234,264	4.5	154,510,878	718,745,142	4.4	156,574,933	875,320,075	3.8
Connecticut	121,927,905	493,443,959	13.3	128,008,113	621,452,072	12.3	122,836,621	744,288,693	11.0
Delaware	29,965,190	110,562,243	-1.6	51,890,241	162,452,484	-0.5	11,819,604	174,272,088	-1.5
Dist. of Col.	15,048,373	56,951,236	-1.9	15,386,513	72,337,749	-0.7	15,013,242	87,350,991	-0.7
Florida	610,841,691	2,306,328,599	1.8	577,587,771	2,883,916,370	-0.3	574,951,546	3,458,867,916	1.6
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	34,046,156	135,665,159	6.5	29,199,988	164,865,147	-0.5	34,213,060	199,078,207	-1.0
Idaho	46,186,843	182,263,473	9.1	60,731,291	242,994,764	13.3	35,004,884	277,999,648	7.5
Illinois	430,688,218	1,529,126,640	4.4	402,210,150	1,931,336,790	2.6	403,860,119	2,335,196,909	1.9
Indiana	245,175,202	934,531,904	1.7	260,668,140	1,195,200,044	2.9	257,524,513	1,452,724,557	2.2
Iowa	125,802,070	469,606,722	4.3	125,467,669	595,074,391	2.6	126,205,949	721,280,340	1.2
Kansas	109,870,369	419,283,126	5.2	115,788,503	535,071,629	5.7	115,435,794	650,507,423	7.7
Kentucky	178,975,584	650,808,609	1.6	178,139,564	828,948,173	1.4	177,069,811	1,006,017,984	1.1
Louisiana	168,409,415	667,435,857	3.3	309,523,675	976,959,532	18.3	34,641,434	1,011,600,966	1.3
Maine	64,178,376	227,261,841	18.7	51,945,331	279,207,172	16.5	42,591,408	321,798,580	15.6
Maryland	189,602,075	694,486,157	2.4	189,646,002	884,132,159	2.0	189,102,130	1,073,234,289	1.9
Massachusetts	205,938,028	804,148,162	2.8	223,010,525	1,027,158,687	2.8	217,558,567	1,244,717,254	2.2
Michigan	386,320,301	1,451,003,587	1.9	413,239,678	1,864,243,265	-1.7	402,137,991	2,266,381,256	-2.2
Minnesota	177,069,494	725,622,932	4.0	205,428,981	931,051,913	3.7	204,146,167	1,135,198,080	2.1
Mississippi	130,408,073	469,536,160	0.7	70,748,530	540,284,690	-9.3	177,470,883	717,755,573	0.8
Missouri	236,904,959	931,030,717	1.4	276,786,911	1,207,817,628	3.6	254,941,217	1,462,758,845	2.9
Montana	41,964,121	152,501,419	14.2	40,815,212	193,316,631	10.2	45,585,393	238,902,024	8.1
Nebraska	67,200,006	257,836,834	2.1	70,499,055	328,335,889	2.2	71,846,238	400,182,127	-1.0
Nevada	66,301,680	251,621,914	5.5	66,489,524	318,111,438	6.2	68,392,273	386,503,711	6.0
New Hampshire	45,425,904	184,723,227	6.8	50,714,316	235,437,543	6.2	50,029,624	285,467,167	5.1
New Jersey	302,089,105	1,146,883,533	1.0	293,722,124	1,440,605,657	-0.2	316,083,267	1,756,688,924	1.5
New Mexico	76,269,480	297,456,868	3.4	74,085,548	371,542,416	2.1	79,812,592	451,355,008	6.8
New York	403,358,503	1,752,926,827	-0.5	512,547,860	2,265,474,687	0.5	486,727,136	2,752,201,823	0.0
North Carolina	316,018,386	1,184,684,231	1.9	332,512,943	1,517,197,174	2.3	315,199,849	1,832,397,023	1.7
North Dakota	29,758,502	107,805,886	2.2	31,756,633	139,562,519	1.0	33,741,787	173,304,306	1.1
Ohio	401,783,345	1,566,035,581	2.1	429,982,321	1,996,017,902	1.0	422,472,934	2,418,490,836	0.8
Oklahoma	159,173,775	601,307,831	5.0	167,104,905	768,412,736	5.4	172,742,872	941,155,608	6.0
Oregon	121,826,220	469,019,946	3.5	122,317,927	591,337,873	2.5	134,788,700	726,126,573	4.9
Pennsylvania	402,162,644	1,507,394,640	0.0	426,160,989	1,933,555,629	0.6	425,793,563	2,359,349,192	0.7
Rhode Island	32,171,703	125,594,249	2.5	32,171,703	157,765,952	2.2	32,171,703	189,937,655	2.1
South Carolina	152,822,519	609,455,174	-4.3	186,059,114	795,514,288	-1.6	177,482,178	972,996,466	-0.9
South Dakota	34,349,748	123,542,714	2.7	37,630,319	161,173,033	2.5	40,940,153	202,113,186	1.5
Tennessee	231,457,999	880,761,154	1.3	235,505,925	1,116,267,079	-1.2	245,621,289	1,361,888,368	0.0
Texas	802,813,121	3,117,468,749	8.9	858,250,790	3,975,719,539	8.8	775,629,051	4,751,348,590	7.9
Utah	76,091,275	287,276,088	3.7	77,428,176	364,704,264	2.9	80,817,737	445,522,001	2.5
Vermont	23,598,065	97,317,524	7.3	28,485,183	125,802,707	7.1	23,835,279	149,637,986	2.9
Virginia	279,365,301	1,052,984,279	0.9	262,517,721	1,315,502,000	1.1	299,479,088	1,614,981,088	-2.2
Washington	221,268,810	845,338,432	8.4	222,013,136	1,067,351,568	6.8	227,000,773	1,294,352,341	6.5
West Virginia	68,039,463	241,913,658	-13.0	61,988,985	303,902,643	-13.1	75,844,008	379,746,651	-12.7
Wisconsin	187,992,745	741,784,533	5.7	215,622,879	957,407,412	5.3	202,685,628	1,160,093,040	2.9
Wyoming	21,967,660	96,748,598	4.0	24,263,377	121,011,975	2.4	23,967,833	144,979,808	1.6
U.S. Total ^{2/}	9,863,625,247	37,886,117,107	3.3	10,348,296,252	48,234,413,359	2.8	10,027,377,255	58,261,790,614	2.4
Puerto Rico	70,703,928	352,289,618	13.2	93,684,919	445,974,537	14.1	97,205,448	543,179,985	14.5
Grand Total ^{2/}	9,934,329,175	38,238,406,725	3.3	10,441,981,171	48,680,387,896	2.9	10,124,582,703	58,804,970,599	2.5

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STATE	JULY 1996 (49 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		AUGUST 1996 (49 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		SEPTEMBER 1996 (48 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}
Alabama	210,246,861	1,358,166,566	2.9	206,208,904	1,564,375,470	2.8	187,178,807	1,751,554,277	2.2
Alaska	29,914,971	167,501,691	-10.3	29,829,878	197,331,569	-9.5	24,784,947	222,116,516	-13.9
Arizona	167,626,412	1,208,936,813	4.4	163,121,327	1,372,058,140	3.9	176,183,883	1,548,242,023	4.7
Arkansas	117,005,638	801,034,250	0.3	78,228,587	879,262,837	-4.1	164,219,755	1,043,482,592	2.8
California	1,181,102,000	7,825,976,000	2.8	1,195,561,000	9,021,537,000	2.7	1,070,338,000	10,091,875,000	2.2
Colorado	170,233,276	1,045,553,351	3.8	170,796,815	1,216,350,166	3.5	151,658,397	1,368,008,563	3.3
Connecticut	124,435,304	868,723,997	10.8	125,282,949	994,006,946	10.1	120,338,621	1,114,345,567	9.9
Delaware	33,417,394	207,689,482	-0.7	33,987,210	241,676,692	-0.4	29,481,674	271,158,366	-0.4
Dist. of Col.	9,422,662	96,773,653	-6.0	14,968,990	111,742,643	-6.2	14,137,855	125,880,498	-6.3
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	34,523,338	233,601,545	-1.3	41,635,955	275,237,500	0.1	33,417,302	308,654,802	-1.5
Idaho	45,473,159	323,472,807	4.4	57,372,736	380,845,543	5.4	62,481,581	443,327,124	6.0
Illinois	398,419,519	2,733,616,428	1.0	411,921,025	3,145,537,453	0.9	388,154,355	3,533,691,808	1.0
Indiana	266,561,468	1,719,286,025	-0.1	272,677,290	1,991,963,315	-0.0	205,493,430	2,197,456,745	-1.9
Iowa	139,561,537	860,841,877	3.3	136,790,388	997,632,265	2.8	118,122,799	1,115,755,064	0.9
Kansas	120,797,766	771,305,189	7.3	118,961,570	890,266,759	6.7	106,209,680	996,476,439	6.0
Kentucky	185,033,078	1,191,051,062	2.6	38,692,461	1,229,743,523	-8.7	152,623,044	1,382,366,567	-9.8
Louisiana	300,971,952	1,312,572,918	12.7	290,580,167	1,603,153,085	19.7	45,274,920	1,648,428,005	8.9
Maine	78,949,595	400,748,175	8.5	56,515,261	457,263,436	7.0	60,588,510	517,851,946	7.5
Maryland	193,077,366	1,266,311,655	1.8	195,321,003	1,461,632,658	1.3	178,025,258	1,639,657,916	1.4
Massachusetts	223,066,496	1,467,783,750	2.2	232,860,344	1,700,644,094	2.2	207,566,192	1,908,210,286	2.0
Michigan	431,971,825	2,698,353,081	-0.8	435,952,988	3,134,306,069	-0.6	390,794,071	3,525,100,140	-0.2
Minnesota	211,111,573	1,346,309,653	2.1	220,978,225	1,567,287,878	2.1	194,535,744	1,761,823,622	1.7
Mississippi	140,006,923	857,762,496	1.8	126,942,464	984,704,960	1.6	113,843,563	1,098,548,523	1.4
Missouri	236,838,868	1,699,597,713	1.0	304,150,495	2,003,748,208	2.5	237,648,067	2,241,396,275	1.8
Montana	54,100,131	293,002,155	7.4	51,780,268	344,782,423	6.7	42,044,957	386,827,380	5.7
Nebraska	76,581,406	476,763,533	0.2	75,731,007	552,494,540	1.0	65,386,342	617,880,882	0.6
Nevada	68,734,591	455,238,302	5.7	72,897,458	528,135,760	5.6	-	-	-
New Hampshire	54,822,998	340,290,165	5.0	56,808,217	397,098,382	4.6	47,926,249	445,024,631	4.0
New Jersey	318,692,952	2,075,381,876	1.5	337,226,552	2,412,608,428	2.0	297,937,838	2,710,546,266	2.3
New Mexico	78,182,368	529,537,376	3.2	70,667,405	600,204,781	1.4	85,094,476	685,299,257	2.6
New York	456,017,932	3,208,219,755	-1.3	502,870,698	3,711,090,453	0.1	454,537,613	4,165,628,066	-0.3
North Carolina	337,281,045	2,169,678,068	2.3	341,495,192	2,511,173,260	2.4	309,283,801	2,820,457,061	2.4
North Dakota	36,212,421	209,516,727	0.8	38,692,461	248,209,188	1.2	31,440,179	279,649,367	0.4
Ohio	442,275,895	2,860,766,731	0.4	443,055,466	3,303,822,197	0.1	384,486,836	3,688,309,033	-0.7
Oklahoma	161,720,630	1,102,876,238	5.2	162,180,479	1,265,056,717	4.8	153,999,784	1,419,056,501	4.6
Oregon	141,607,214	867,733,787	2.7	128,478,851	996,212,638	2.0	143,030,341	1,139,242,979	2.4
Pennsylvania	428,567,708	2,787,916,900	1.0	442,275,657	3,230,192,557	1.2	393,665,875	3,623,858,432	1.1
Rhode Island	33,011,607	222,949,262	2.0	33,011,607	255,960,869	1.9	33,011,608	288,972,477	1.9
South Carolina	182,530,684	1,155,527,150	-0.2	181,506,732	1,337,033,882	0.3	152,157,306	1,489,191,188	-0.1
South Dakota	46,522,541	248,635,727	2.5	46,040,578	294,676,305	2.7	35,098,320	329,774,625	1.8
Tennessee	257,714,217	1,619,602,585	0.7	243,953,789	1,863,556,374	0.2	224,892,128	2,088,448,502	0.1
Texas	842,713,478	5,594,062,068	9.1	842,291,484	6,436,353,552	8.5	769,804,780	7,206,158,332	7.6
Utah	84,226,832	529,748,833	1.9	86,925,207	616,674,040	1.9	76,201,094	692,875,134	1.7
Vermont	29,904,214	179,542,200	3.0	31,530,042	211,072,242	4.2	25,986,529	237,058,771	3.4
Virginia	326,623,542	1,941,604,630	3.2	293,721,609	2,235,326,239	0.2	269,507,858	2,504,834,097	1.2
Washington	235,922,159	1,530,274,500	6.4	239,590,734	1,769,865,234	6.1	222,527,550	1,992,392,784	6.0
West Virginia	74,391,386	454,138,037	-11.6	65,281,770	519,419,807	-11.3	79,148,220	598,568,027	-9.6
Wisconsin	225,477,008	1,385,570,048	3.1	233,901,749	1,619,471,797	3.6	194,703,231	1,814,175,028	2.8
Wyoming	30,382,723	175,362,531	2.7	29,447,821	204,810,352	-2.4	41,448,863	246,259,215	0.7
U.S. Total ^{2/}	10,073,986,663	64,876,909,361	2.7	10,010,700,865	74,887,610,226	2.4	8,966,422,233	83,325,896,699	2.0
Puerto Rico	80,350,794	623,530,779	9.1	94,431,386	717,962,165	8.9	-	-	-
Grand Total ^{2/}	10,154,337,457	65,500,440,140	2.7	10,105,132,251	75,605,572,391	2.5	8,966,422,233	83,325,896,699	2.0

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STATE	(GALLONS)								
	OCTOBER 1996 (47 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		NOVEMBER 1996 (46 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		DECEMBER 1996 (45 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE ^{2/}
Alabama	199,677,130	1,951,231,407	1.7	187,684,674	2,138,916,081	0.8	199,357,441	2,338,273,522	-0.4
Alaska	26,544,608	248,661,124	-10.6	20,561,133	269,222,257	-9.8	22,693,126	291,915,383	-9.0
Arizona	184,208,005	1,732,450,028	5.7	176,183,883	1,908,633,911	4.5	-	-	-
Arkansas	30,627,687	1,074,110,279	-5.4	165,946,706	1,240,056,985	0.9	142,827,284	1,382,884,269	0.4
California	1,146,748,000	11,238,623,000	2.1	1,145,808,000	12,384,431,000	2.0	1,134,651,000	13,519,082,000	2.0
Colorado	167,535,602	1,535,544,165	4.1	142,955,954	1,678,500,119	4.0	163,633,473	1,842,133,592	4.7
Connecticut	128,231,326	1,242,576,893	10.1	129,040,900	1,371,617,793	17.4	131,306,236	1,502,924,029	16.3
Delaware	30,799,055	301,957,421	-0.0	29,438,411	331,395,832	0.0	29,761,155	361,156,987	0.2
Dist. of Col.	15,489,549	141,370,047	-6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	28,311,440	336,966,242	-1.9	33,090,010	370,056,252	-2.0	39,812,450	409,868,702	-2.2
Idaho	65,516,909	508,844,033	7.0	44,951,233	553,795,266	4.8	52,769,223	606,564,489	4.9
Illinois	411,567,730	3,945,259,538	1.3	402,196,649	4,347,456,187	1.7	400,244,152	4,747,700,339	1.0
Indiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	133,545,531	1,249,300,595	1.0	123,587,904	1,372,888,499	1.4	125,565,583	1,498,454,082	1.2
Kansas	116,023,583	1,112,500,022	5.9	109,901,608	1,222,401,630	5.7	113,003,974	1,335,405,604	5.5
Kentucky	157,060,593	1,539,427,160	-9.9	192,661,442	1,732,088,602	-7.5	133,411,860	1,865,500,462	-9.1
Louisiana	288,843,345	1,937,271,350	15.5	34,220,257	1,971,491,607	7.0	199,436,108	2,170,927,715	8.2
Maine	52,484,011	570,335,957	7.8	4,892,230	575,228,187	6.6	71,650,444	646,878,631	6.0
Maryland	193,090,029	1,832,747,945	1.6	186,276,611	2,019,024,556	1.6	184,671,100	2,203,695,656	1.1
Massachusetts	223,591,304	2,131,801,590	2.3	214,241,348	2,346,042,938	2.3	216,911,650	2,562,954,588	2.2
Michigan	419,717,168	3,944,817,308	0.3	843,036	3,945,660,344	-7.5	793,545,141	4,739,205,485	0.4
Minnesota	200,242,137	1,962,065,759	1.5	193,691,789	2,155,757,548	1.5	197,944,528	2,353,702,076	1.5
Mississippi	119,984,365	1,218,532,888	0.6	116,485,678	1,335,018,566	1.4	130,407,322	1,465,425,888	0.8
Missouri	261,125,047	2,502,521,322	2.0	243,543,073	2,746,064,395	1.9	252,430,520	2,998,494,915	1.9
Montana	42,206,969	429,034,349	5.4	37,774,957	466,809,306	5.2	35,666,605	502,475,911	4.4
Nebraska	74,407,310	692,288,192	1.2	67,248,755	759,536,947	1.1	68,964,033	828,500,980	1.3
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Hampshire	52,479,910	497,504,541	4.1	47,432,456	544,936,997	3.8	49,279,229	594,216,226	3.5
New Jersey	315,324,219	3,025,870,485	3.5	311,954,533	3,337,825,018	5.1	312,692,810	3,650,517,828	4.9
New Mexico	48,858,926	734,158,183	-1.2	98,492,174	832,650,357	2.2	77,360,700	910,011,057	2.4
New York	457,395,470	4,623,023,536	-1.4	475,261,030	5,098,284,566	-0.8	499,943,234	5,598,227,870	-1.1
North Carolina	332,980,445	3,153,437,506	2.8	316,388,791	3,469,826,297	2.8	318,479,673	3,788,305,970	2.6
North Dakota	32,619,041	312,268,408	0.4	31,066,045	343,334,453	1.0	29,205,379	372,539,832	0.6
Ohio	427,915,013	4,116,224,046	-0.4	414,185,241	4,530,409,287	-0.4	422,382,562	4,952,791,849	-0.2
Oklahoma	156,431,270	1,575,487,771	4.6	143,845,702	1,719,333,473	4.0	154,307,196	1,873,640,669	3.3
Oregon	110,017,187	1,249,260,166	0.9	103,925,704	1,353,185,870	1.3	145,249,559	1,498,435,429	4.0
Pennsylvania	426,111,614	4,049,970,046	1.2	410,315,450	4,460,285,496	1.3	407,421,757	4,867,707,253	1.4
Rhode Island	33,065,473	322,037,950	1.9	33,065,473	355,103,423	1.9	33,065,474	388,168,897	2.0
South Carolina	186,362,368	1,675,553,556	0.9	167,956,101	1,843,509,657	1.0	170,649,655	2,014,159,312	1.2
South Dakota	39,589,647	369,364,272	2.3	34,556,127	403,920,399	2.1	32,795,220	436,715,619	1.9
Tennessee	222,592,988	2,311,041,490	0.4	239,702,627	2,550,744,117	-0.0	235,985,450	2,786,729,567	0.2
Texas	820,372,248	8,026,530,580	7.2	783,389,575	8,809,920,155	7.0	824,589,294	9,634,509,449	6.5
Utah	81,455,566	774,330,700	2.2	73,158,713	847,489,413	2.5	76,301,637	923,791,050	2.4
Vermont	28,351,437	265,410,208	3.5	25,416,816	290,827,024	3.2	23,208,545	314,035,569	2.0
Virginia	310,491,566	2,815,325,663	1.3	272,386,616	3,087,712,279	1.2	278,714,644	3,366,426,923	1.0
Washington	222,776,515	2,215,169,299	6.0	212,506,178	2,427,675,477	6.0	212,818,636	2,640,494,113	5.7
West Virginia	49,009,588	647,577,615	-11.6	82,384,683	729,962,298	-9.0	76,169,183	806,131,481	-9.0
Wisconsin	210,896,939	2,025,071,967	2.9	201,112,082	2,226,184,049	2.8	200,837,505	2,427,021,554	2.7
Wyoming	42,215,545	288,474,760	0.7	28,340,949	316,815,709	0.4	28,000,635	344,816,344	0.5
U.S. Total ^{2/}	9,324,891,408	90,453,331,362	2.1	8,510,069,307	98,822,030,622	1.9	9,450,122,385	106,363,519,096	2.1
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total ^{2/}	9,324,891,408	90,453,331,362	2.1	8,510,069,307	98,822,030,622	1.9	9,450,122,385	106,363,519,096	2.1

^{1/} Exports and dealer transfers are excluded where possible. Cumulative figures include revisions of data for prior months. Volume includes both gasoline and gasohol.

^{2/} Percent change is from comparable period of prior year and includes only the States shown. Totals include only those States for which data are shown.

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TABLE MF-33SF
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FROM STATE FUEL-TAX REPORTS					(GALLONS)								JUNE 1997
STATE	JANUARY (37 STATES)	FEBRUARY (32 STATES)	MARCH (23 STATES)	APRIL (9 STATES)	MAY (0 STATES)	JUNE (0 STATES)	JULY (0 STATES)	AUGUST (0 STATES)	SEPTEMBER (0 STATES)	OCTOBER (0 STATES)	NOVEMBER (0 STATES)	DECEMBER (0 STATES)	TOTAL 2/
Alabama	39,682,610	60,010,191	46,914,145	49,093,934	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	195,700,880
Alaska	(1,035,975)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,035,975)
Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arkansas	47,428,036	40,281,147	37,056,021	52,026,092	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	176,791,296
California	150,792,000	158,904,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	309,696,000
Colorado	19,962,325	18,735,071	6,910,506	21,662,981	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,270,883
Connecticut	15,278,262	12,626,478	14,074,139	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,978,879
Delaware	4,197,451	5,342,527	4,581,572	5,168,589	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,290,139
Dist. of Col.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	1,903,237	2,564,373	1,969,495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,437,105
Idaho	19,810,423	9,469,895	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,280,318
Illinois	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kansas	24,549,729	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,549,729
Kentucky	59,308,915	52,921,295	68,980,793	62,252,260	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	243,463,263
Louisiana	37,561,479	39,063,235	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,624,714
Maine	14,858,426	8,784,109	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,642,535
Maryland	28,677,107	27,475,495	30,852,599	32,412,183	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	119,417,384
Massachusetts	20,606,377	20,693,966	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,300,343
Michigan	61,187,455	58,275,806	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	119,463,261
Minnesota	37,837,020	32,516,044	35,566,101	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	105,919,165
Mississippi	29,122,172	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,122,172
Missouri	71,055,586	58,919,674	74,278,702	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	204,253,962
Montana	11,738,674	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,738,674
Nebraska	30,284,571	26,000,663	30,190,274	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86,475,508
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Hampshire	16,955,317	9,945,199	11,060,452	8,124,293	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46,085,261
New Jersey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Mexico	21,903,007	29,178,492	32,627,211	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83,708,710
New York	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina	74,100,938	48,876,592	75,952,751	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	198,930,281
North Dakota	9,753,834	10,476,035	9,747,924	10,399,163	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40,376,956
Ohio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma	51,927,462	45,188,422	46,208,678	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	143,324,562
Oregon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	100,252,595	92,537,089	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	192,789,684
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	39,835,880	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39,835,880
South Dakota	10,161,378	9,635,268	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,796,646
Tennessee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Texas	179,286,050	173,995,480	178,659,479	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	531,941,009
Utah	18,262,617	5,032,203	32,002,164	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55,296,984
Vermont	5,969,517	12,815,181	5,455,401	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,240,099
Virginia	69,341,847	60,346,887	61,364,293	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	191,053,027
Washington	31,130,038	39,773,466	25,956,146	31,484,076	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	128,343,726
West Virginia	11,811,089	11,527,146	15,219,764	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38,557,999
Wisconsin	49,735,537	42,757,487	47,508,696	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140,001,720
Wyoming	14,967,060	27,529,762	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42,496,822
U.S. Total 2/	1,430,200,046	1,252,198,678	893,137,306	272,623,571	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,848,159,601
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total 2/	1,430,200,046	1,252,198,678	893,137,306	272,623,571	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,848,159,601

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been made. When interstate motor carrier fuel volume is reported quarterly to FHWA, the volume is shown in the third month of the quarter. Highway use of special fuels is reported in table MF-21 in the annual report, Highway Statistics.

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FROM STATE FUEL-TAX REPORTS						(GALLONS)		JUNE 1997											
STATE	JANUARY (50 STATES)	FEBRUARY (50 STATES)	MARCH (50 STATES)	APRIL (49 STATES)	MAY (49 STATES)	JUNE (49 STATES)	JULY (49 STATES)	AUGUST (48 STATES)	SEPTEMBER (47 STATES)	OCTOBER (46 STATES)	NOVEMBER (46 STATES)	DECEMBER (45 STATES)	TOTAL 2/						
Alabama	76,263,781	44,661,473	46,223,438	45,115,233	50,206,341	64,712,882	43,054,073	61,798,340	58,437,210	52,419,709	44,374,574	63,398,474	650,665,528						
Alaska	(86,056)	487,083	2,436,084	9,968,649	4,626,639	518,605	4,583,283	10,236,978	(3,064,651)	4,661,790	1,127,817	(357,317)	35,138,904						
Arizona	44,235,548	42,178,581	46,079,650	53,825,041	49,716,110	47,540,058	51,472,035	33,667,974	40,695,251	40,475,800	49,094,029	-	498,980,077						
Arkansas	27,633,446	47,514,950	26,915,761	49,304,721	37,631,610	58,010,182	36,643,860	29,064,272	55,351,344	22,253,549	61,268,476	46,067,465	497,659,636						
California	158,551,000	141,109,000	173,507,000	141,349,000	203,796,000	164,901,000	190,059,000	183,398,000	175,057,000	223,246,000	131,062,000	243,082,000	2,129,117,000						
Colorado	24,828,795	23,812,479	23,199,731	23,437,874	24,170,233	25,811,522	22,138,321	22,410,369	20,602,296	21,350,095	21,636,731	21,540,639	274,939,085						
Connecticut	15,280,506	13,359,280	12,074,480	11,322,867	15,371,192	14,282,103	16,621,066	73,584,251	101,456,355	18,539,993	15,712,474	13,383,748	320,988,315						
Delaware	7,610,073	3,502,700	2,945,580	8,807,005	3,481,564	4,347,334	6,926,236	3,917,396	4,483,889	5,254,244	4,416,285	3,973,511	59,665,817						
Dist. of Col.	1,685,393	1,729,550	1,812,264	1,719,834	1,800,075	1,714,427	1,921,665	1,592,901	1,729,550	1,825,436	-	-	1,746,580						
Florida	82,071,083	90,287,784	74,558,483	72,227,147	87,090,017	77,752,934	82,436,548	-	-	-	-	-	566,423,996						
Georgia	108,809,429	100,948,321	106,982,537	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	316,740,287						
Hawaii	2,544,845	1,317,125	13,362,049	2,449,779	1,516,857	2,617,387	2,397,420	4,117,450	2,352,214	1,595,757	2,725,197	3,845,059	40,841,139						
Idaho	15,763,481	11,320,524	15,687,966	13,618,766	11,112,495	12,318,571	16,589,295	10,891,319	29,664,375	16,793,051	9,423,387	25,835,311	189,018,541						
Illinois	73,153,227	69,996,925	71,875,554	77,778,748	71,711,228	68,875,772	76,928,269	74,505,749	72,707,117	88,843,190	73,670,748	71,339,033	891,385,560						
Indiana	78,083,405	82,127,567	81,738,986	87,582,372	93,706,650	89,571,558	86,786,059	82,271,595	89,537,414	-	-	-	771,405,606						
Iowa	37,844,900	31,457,750	37,732,862	37,631,806	37,638,498	34,930,726	38,324,818	46,053,393	43,678,293	43,477,109	37,186,898	36,021,538	461,978,591						
Kansas	24,416,274	25,584,582	23,260,918	32,778,102	32,188,325	28,033,327	31,361,417	32,368,380	32,901,871	16,059,210	51,043,496	25,353,915	355,349,817						
Kentucky	55,920,515	30,765,037	53,112,647	52,461,019	42,650,991	69,842,081	43,047,348	12,158,019	64,860,923	62,517,535	48,392,259	62,808,984	598,537,358						
Louisiana	40,174,791	48,743,765	47,101,078	54,574,376	43,973,167	40,917,819	41,369,365	42,359,827	41,602,916	42,403,927	34,529,089	51,595,154	529,309,274						
Maine	13,043,559	6,934,785	10,529,914	12,651,209	6,400,547	8,848,967	14,879,089	9,616,138	15,912,582	12,136,796	13,083,658	12,160,140	136,197,384						
Maryland	24,512,328	26,206,887	27,080,818	32,937,403	31,351,887	30,271,168	30,051,192	30,101,785	30,708,808	34,221,497	30,951,919	29,268,976	357,664,668						
Massachusetts	16,255,300	24,017,764	17,957,723	22,276,820	45,650,792	20,261,816	21,936,597	17,241,675	36,751,146	34,202,791	21,891,846	36,644,419	315,088,689						
Michigan	55,674,712	65,411,956	53,122,970	64,210,769	70,423,837	42,835,620	84,890,979	71,342,979	66,776,151	74,572,708	64,586,866	64,586,868	778,436,415						
Minnesota	36,739,965	33,005,109	38,381,267	33,748,773	38,901,123	41,241,776	39,269,351	49,080,930	47,719,306	45,593,235	39,992,898	41,514,604	485,188,337						
Mississippi	31,626,006	27,506,713	29,645,536	37,734,766	22,398,293	47,857,949	34,151,271	34,910,556	35,585,573	38,448,164	28,969,830	34,892,720	403,727,377						
Missouri	62,201,754	60,713,925	61,707,204	62,588,758	57,418,225	60,990,911	61,254,432	69,638,990	61,619,511	74,166,161	68,305,694	71,642,815	772,248,380						
Montana	13,090,460	8,358,354	13,460,128	12,859,870	11,619,288	11,619,288	11,991,510	14,353,293	7,790,450	14,350,489	11,663,759	10,360,102	141,516,991						
Nebraska	28,668,951	25,641,813	29,725,744	28,569,715	24,898,063	25,503,971	29,000,373	29,100,040	29,087,252	31,454,231	29,614,296	27,634,230	338,898,699						
Nevada	18,381,331	18,220,023	20,357,696	20,878,475	23,337,460	20,982,284	17,226,822	24,722,855	-	-	-	-	164,106,946						
New Hampshire	7,217,280	3,266,589	5,535,202	5,740,457	3,087,646	5,438,096	5,723,476	5,731,561	4,969,129	5,751,267	2,934,655	5,939,283	61,334,641						
New Jersey	41,767,714	37,719,565	47,395,924	53,111,577	62,870,151	43,455,434	46,689,860	24,665,938	44,626,467	47,515,116	43,132,543	41,811,030	534,761,319						
New Mexico	24,940,281	29,604,366	24,180,538	23,573,139	32,682,104	32,006,846	24,243,753	22,077,866	36,723,616	15,294,893	37,170,880	23,085,883	316,584,165						
New York	63,072,273	58,659,166	69,578,091	55,170,732	69,005,549	67,284,193	67,719,869	67,778,782	63,231,481	68,130,346	87,368,674	65,445,721	802,444,877						
North Carolina	52,004,916	53,181,238	80,654,467	73,353,606	58,568,842	74,690,200	71,584,664	60,340,224	76,862,393	79,882,532	51,424,819	67,328,148	799,876,049						
North Dakota	8,208,971	11,066,399	11,118,222	10,132,265	9,499,544	12,695,706	11,195,183	12,158,019	13,120,227	14,411,748	13,072,197	10,434,131	137,112,612						
Ohio	105,747,858	100,498,844	106,993,468	107,968,544	115,606,410	94,204,121	106,902,305	105,765,128	107,282,707	119,818,742	102,883,551	109,816,168	1,283,487,846						
Oklahoma	41,042,821	42,382,697	43,917,149	46,309,557	47,632,706	47,675,702	44,421,236	45,199,658	44,961,149	42,265,561	50,294,067	48,667,144	544,769,447						
Oregon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Pennsylvania	92,609,766	92,366,379	94,853,145	98,199,517	103,952,747	93,977,282	100,722,619	105,558,810	89,741,356	110,782,239	100,831,013	93,927,836	1,177,522,709						
Rhode Island	3,226,174	3,226,174	3,226,176	3,609,893	3,609,893	3,609,893	3,981,831	3,981,831	3,981,831	4,068,475	4,068,475	4,068,477	44,659,123						
South Carolina	41,246,145	28,757,120	35,459,535	40,327,621	40,878,580	35,064,362	39,524,003	42,034,103	38,473,872	43,168,551	39,997,143	36,286,628	461,217,663						
South Dakota	13,615,115	9,689,477	9,905,799	11,647,107	11,388,278	11,581,688	12,494,601	12,973,517	11,597,603	14,456,245	12,840,572	10,848,645	143,038,647						
Tennessee	56,465,289	58,799,951	66,027,894	65,156,550	66,944,968	63,647,909	63,478,335	64,504,506	63,537,474	65,326,941	64,842,222	57,095,999	755,828,038						
Texas	190,616,929	163,358,629	183,952,890	173,965,801	182,558,148	215,722,958	173,098,523	171,492,254	182,972,172	181,336,211	179,254,171	172,338,851	2,170,667,537						
Utah	17,182,050	23,973,643	29,898,950	17,946,007	9,816,110	34,483,714	19,399,631	10,590,511	34,351,519	16,967,339	10,727,352	31,473,483	256,810,309						
Vermont	10,442,244	8,793,814	8,483,129	7,635,178	6,740,858	12,448,888	2,592,398	5,240,135	9,733,700	4,964,063	10,042,923	8,990,570	96,107,900						
Virginia	52,401,549	58,245,932	63,163,856	61,694,441	65,692,703	63,962,626	67,607,830	69,248,307	61,791,137	71,479,733	62,933,470	62,441,854	760,663,438						
Washington	31,435,691	18,330,909	40,281,764	35,906,313	57,243,098	49,593,560	39,549,967	37,809,146	52,812,614	28,225,500	50,142,677	40,957,680	482,288,919						
West Virginia	30,598,684	9,880,442	15,240,436	250,354	12,223,895	17,273,374	11,530,723	(683,777)	7,396,968	4,441,210	12,968,234	12,550,428	133,670,971						
Wisconsin	49,626,896	44,836,198	48,106,740	46,455,695	54,374,339	48,065,120	52,038,577	48,732,946	51,359,102	56,291,778	53,894,856	48,174,235	601,956,462						
Wyoming	20,854,720	18,433,756	12,785,809	14,669,211	22,326,152	16,009,781	23,322,448	20,550,276	20,194,155	25,713,987	24,483,660	20,023,372	239,167,327						
U.S. Total 2/	2,129,302,168	1,981,993,093	2,163,335,252	2,057,117,430	2,172,410,007	2,160,089,139	2,124,926,288	2,010,583,959	2,183,724,818	2,041,154,944	1,911,625,281	1,970,008,534	24,906,270,913						
Puerto Rico	14,970,725	14,641,700	9,642,392	13,212,750	14,340,000	21,962,250	18,056,650	18,052,035	-	-	-	-	122,872,502						
Grand Total 2/	2,144,272,893	1,996,634,793	2,172,977,644	2,070,330,180	2,186,750,007	2,182,051,389	2,140,976,938	2,028,635,994	2,183,724,818	2,041,154,944	1,911,625,281	1,970,008,534	25,029,143,415						

1/ This table shows gross volume of special fuels (primarily diesel fuel with small amounts of liquefied petroleum gas) reported by the State motor fuel tax agencies. To the extent possible, fuel consumed by Federal, State, and local government agencies and all nonhighway use has been excluded from this table. Further adjustments may be made during the year-end analysis. In many cases, the data reflect retail sales, but a number of States tax special fuels at the whole sale level. In some cases, corrections for interstate motor carrier use have not

been made. When interstate motor carrier fuel volume is reported quarterly to FHWA, the volume is shown in the third month of the quarter. Highway use of special fuels is reported in table MF-21 in the annual report, Highway Statistics.

2/ Total includes only those States for which data are shown.

TAX RATES ON MOTOR FUEL - JUNE 1, 1997¹

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JUNE 1997

STATE	(CENTS PER GALLON)								
	GASOLINE		DIESEL		LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS		GASOHOL 2/		
	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXEMPTION
Alabama *	18	06/01/92	19	06/01/92	17	06/01/92	18	06/01/92	-
Alaska	8	07/01/61	8	07/01/61	-	-	-	-	8
Arizona *	18	07/01/90	18	07/01/90	18	07/01/90	18	07/01/90	-
Arkansas *	18.6	07/01/96	18.6	07/01/96	16.5	04/01/91	18.6	07/01/96	-
California *	18	01/01/94	18	01/01/94	6	01/01/76	18	01/01/94	-
Colorado *	22	01/01/91	20.5	01/01/92	20.5	01/01/92	22	01/01/91	-
Connecticut	39	01/01/97	18	09/01/91	-	07/01/96	38	01/01/97	1
Delaware *	23	01/01/95	22	01/01/95	22	01/01/95	23	01/01/95	-
Dist. of Col.	20	10/01/94	20	10/01/94	20	10/01/94	20	10/01/94	-
Florida *	12.8	01/01/97	24.6	01/01/97	15.8	01/01/97	12.8	01/01/97	-
Georgia	7.5	07/01/71	7.5	07/01/71	7.5	07/01/71	7.5	07/01/71	-
Hawaii	16	07/01/91	16	07/01/91	11	07/01/91	16	07/01/91	-
Idaho *	25	04/01/96	25	04/01/96	18.1	04/01/96	22.5	07/01/94	2.5
Illinois *	19	01/01/90	21.5	01/01/90	19	01/01/90	19	01/01/90	-
Indiana *	15	04/01/88	16	04/01/88	-	-	15	04/01/88	-
Iowa	20	01/01/89	22.5	01/01/89	20	01/01/89	19	01/01/89	1
Kansas *	18	07/01/92	20	07/01/92	17	07/01/92	18	07/01/92	-
Kentucky *	16.4	07/15/94	13.4	07/15/94	15	07/01/86	16.4	07/15/94	-
Louisiana *	20	01/01/90	20	01/01/90	16	07/01/93	20	01/01/90	-
Maine	19	07/17/91	20	04/01/89	18	07/17/91	19	07/17/91	-
Maryland	23.5	05/01/92	24.25	07/01/93	23.5	07/01/93	23.5	05/01/92	-
Massachusetts *	21	01/01/91	21	01/01/91	9.5	01/01/97	21	01/01/91	-
Michigan *	15	01/01/84	15	01/01/84	15	01/01/84	15	01/01/84	-
Minnesota *	20	05/01/88	20	05/01/88	15	07/01/95	20	05/01/88	-
Mississippi *	18.4	07/01/93	18.4	07/01/93	17	01/01/89	18.4	07/01/93	-
Missouri *	17	04/01/96	17	04/01/96	17	04/01/96	17	04/01/96	-
Montana *	27	07/01/94	27.75	07/01/94	-	-	27	07/01/94	-
Nebraska *	25.9	10/01/96	25.5	10/01/96	25.3	10/01/96	25.9	10/01/96	-
	25.5	04/01/97	25.1	04/01/97	24.9	04/01/97	25.5	04/01/97	-
Nevada	24	10/01/92	27	10/01/92	23	10/01/92	24	10/01/92	-
New Hampshire *	18.7	06/07/93	18.7	06/07/93	18	06/16/91	18.7	06/07/93	-
New Jersey *	10.5	07/01/88	13.5	07/01/88	5.25	07/01/88	10.5	01/01/92	-
New Mexico *	18.875	07/01/96	19.875	07/01/96	3	01/01/96	18.875	07/01/96	-
New York *	22.40	01/01/97	22.35	01/01/97	8	10/01/90	22.35	01/01/97	-
	22.80	04/01/97	22.65	04/01/97	8	10/01/90	22.65	04/01/97	-
North Carolina *	22.6	01/01/97	22.6	01/01/97	22.6	01/01/97	22.6	01/01/97	-
North Dakota *	20	01/01/96	20	01/01/96	20	01/01/96	20	01/01/96	-
Ohio *	22	07/01/93	22	07/01/93	22	07/01/93	22	07/01/93	-
Oklahoma *	17	07/01/89	14	07/01/89	17	07/01/89	17	07/01/89	-
Oregon *	24	01/01/93	24	01/01/93	24	01/01/93	24	09/01/93	-
Pennsylvania *	22.35	09/01/91	22.35	09/01/91	22.35	09/01/91	22.35	09/01/91	-
	25.815	05/01/97	25.815	05/01/97	25.815	05/01/97	25.815	05/01/97	-
Rhode Island *	29	07/08/94	29	07/08/94	29	07/08/94	29	07/08/94	-
South Carolina	16	01/01/89	16	01/01/89	16	01/01/89	16	01/01/91	-
South Dakota *	18	04/01/88	18	04/01/88	16	04/01/88	16	04/01/88	2
	21	05/01/97	21	05/01/97	19	05/01/97	19	05/01/97	2
Tennessee *	20	04/01/89	17	04/01/90	14	04/01/89	20	04/01/89	-
Texas *	20	10/01/91	20	10/01/91	15	01/01/87	20	10/01/91	-
Utah *	19	04/01/87	19	04/01/87	19	04/01/87	19	04/01/87	-
Vermont *	16	07/01/89	17	07/01/89	-	-	16	07/01/89	-
Virginia *	17.5	07/01/92	16	07/01/92	10	01/01/94	17.5	07/01/92	-
Washington *	23	04/01/91	23	04/01/91	-	-	23	05/01/94	-
West Virginia *	25.35	05/01/93	25.35	05/01/93	25.35	05/01/93	25.35	05/01/93	-
Wisconsin *	23.7	04/01/96	23.7	04/01/96	23.7	04/01/96	23.7	04/01/96	-
	23.8	04/01/97	23.8	04/01/97	23.8	04/01/97	23.8	04/01/97	-
Wyoming *	9	07/01/89	9	07/01/89	-	-	9	01/01/95	-
Mean	19.73		19.67		14.88		19.45		
Weighted Avg.	18.88		19.28		13.55		19.69		
Federal Tax	18.3	01/01/96	24.3	01/01/96	18.3	10/01/93	12.9	01/01/96	5.4

TAX RATES ON MOTOR FUEL - JUNE 1, 1997¹

TABLE MF-121T
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JUNE 1997

STATE	SALES TAX	
	PERCENT	REMARKS
Alabama	4	Applies to fuel not taxable under volume tax laws.
Arizona	5	Applies to fuel not taxed under the motor-fuel or use-fuel taxes. Liquefied petroleum gas sold, used or stored in State is exempt.
Arkansas	4.5	Special fuel for municipal buses and gasoline are exempt.
California	6	Applies to sales price including Federal and State motor-fuel taxes.
Colorado	3	Applies to fuel not taxable under volume tax laws.
Dist. of Col.	5.75	Applies to fuel not taxable under volume tax laws.
Georgia	4	A 3-percent "second motor-fuel tax" and a 1-percent sales tax apply to sales price including Federal motor-fuel tax.
Hawaii	4	Applies to sales price excluding Federal and State motor-fuel taxes. Alcohol fuels are exempt.
Idaho	5	Fuels subject to the motor fuel volume tax are exempt.
Illinois	6.25	Applies to sales price excluding Federal and State motor-fuel taxes. For gasohol, only 70 percent of the price is subject to sales tax.
Indiana	5	Applies to sales price excluding Federal and State motor-fuel taxes.
Iowa	5	Fuel on which the volume tax was paid and not refunded is exempt. Gasohol is exempt.
Kansas	4.9	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Kentucky	6	Applies to sales price, exclusive of Federal tax, of fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Louisiana	4	Fuels subject to volume tax are exempt. Gasohol is exempt if alcohol produced in State.
Maine	6	Applies to motor fuel not taxed at the maximum rate for highway use under the volume tax laws.
Maryland	5	Applies to motor fuel not taxed under other Maryland laws.
Massachusetts	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Michigan	6	Applies to sales price including Federal volume tax except when used in a passenger vehicle with capacity of 10 or more for hire over regularly scheduled routes in State.
Minnesota	6	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Nebraska	5	Gasoline is exempt. Diesel and alternative fuels subject to the volume tax are exempt.
New Mexico	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws. Ethanol blends deductible under the gasoline tax laws are exempt.
New York	4	Applies to sales price including Federal motor-fuel tax.
North Dakota	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Ohio	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Oklahoma	4.5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Pennsylvania	6	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
South Carolina	5	Applies to sales price of aviation gasoline only.
South Dakota	4	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Tennessee *	6	Gasoline on which the volume tax has been paid and not refunded and motor fuel subject to the use fuel tax are exempt.
Texas	6.25	Applies to fuels not taxed or exempted under other laws.
Utah	4.875	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Washington	6.5	Applies fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws. Certain providers of public transportation of handicapped persons are exempt.
Wisconsin	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Wyoming	4	Applies to sales price of LPG. Gasoline and diesel subject to volume tax are exempt.
<p>1/ This table shows motor-fuel tax rates in effect as of January 1, and any subsequent changes that have occurred through the date shown in the title. Only taxes that are levied as a dollar amount per volume of motor fuel are included on sheet 1. Taxes that apply to all petroleum products without distinguishing motor fuel are omitted. Local option taxes are included only when they have been adopted uniformly Statewide. For States marked with an asterisk, see the notes below:</p> <p>Alabama - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include a 2¢ per gallon inspection fee. Alabama-registered LPG vehicles pay an annual fee based on vehicle type in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Arizona-There is an 8¢ per gallon surcharge on use fuel used to propel a use class motor vehicle. A use class motor vehicle is a truck with more than two axes or with a declared gross vehicle weight over 26,000 pounds.</p> <p>Arkansas - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 0.2 ¢ per gallon Environmental Assurance Fee. Applicants for LPG user permits must pay a fee based on vehicle size and weight in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>California - LPG users may pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Colorado - Owners of LPG vehicles registered in the State must pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Delaware - Rates are variable, adjusted annually.</p> <p>Florida - Tax rates are variable, adjusted annually. For gasoline and gasohol, in addition to the rates shown, there is a State-imposed State Comprehensive Enhanced Transportation System (SCETS) tax that varies by county from 0-4.7¢ per gallon. All but 1 county levy the SCETS tax on gasoline, but 10 levy less than the maximum rate. LPG vehicles registered in the State pay an annual fee in lieu of the tax on alternative fuels and the SCETS tax.</p> <p>Idaho - LPG users may pay an annual fee based on vehicle weight in lieu of volume tax.</p> <p>Illinois - Motor carriers pay an additional 6.3¢ per gallon on gasoline, 6.5¢ on diesel, and 5.9¢ on LPG.</p> <p>Indiana - Motor carriers pay an additional 11¢ per gallon. LPG vehicles pay an annual fee.</p> <p>Kansas - LPG users may pay an annual fee based on mileage and gross vehicle weight in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Kentucky - Tax rates are variable, adjusted quarterly. A 2% surtax is imposed on gasoline and 4.7% on special fuels for any vehicle with 3 or more axes. The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 1.4¢ per gallon Petroleum Environmental Assurance Fee.</p> <p>Louisiana - Owners of LPG vehicles of 10,000 pounds or less gross vehicle weight pay an annual fee based on mileage.</p> <p>Massachusetts - Tax rates are variable, adjusted quarterly.</p> <p>Michigan - Rate may be adjusted by the Commissioner of Revenue; law does not specify basis. There is a 6¢ per gallon discount if diesel is delivered into the fuel supply tank of a commercial vehicle licensed under the motor-carrier fuel tax.</p> <p>Minnesota - There is a credit to the wholesaler of 15¢ per gallon of alcohol used to make gasohol.</p> <p>Mississippi - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 0.4¢ per gallon dedicated to the Groundwater Protection Trust Fund.</p> <p>Missouri - LPG vehicles 18,000 pounds or less gross vehicle weight registered in the State pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Montana - LPG vehicles registered in the State pay an annual fee based on gross weight in lieu of the volume tax. Out-of-State vehicles purchase trip permits. There is an alcohol distiller credit of 30¢ per gallon of alcohol produced in the State with State agricultural products and used to make gasohol.</p> <p>Nebraska - Rates are variable, adjusted quarterly. The gasoline and gasohol include 0.6¢ per gallon and diesel rate includes 0.2¢ per gallon Petroleum Release Remedial Action Fee.</p> <p>New Hampshire - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 0.7¢ per gallon Oil Discharge and Disposal Cleanup Fee. Alternative fuel vehicles pay twice the usual registration fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>New Jersey - In addition to the rates shown, there is a Petroleum Products Gross Receipts Tax. The tax is computed on a cents-per-gallon basis and is applicable to a wide variety of petroleum products.</p> <p>New Mexico - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include the Petroleum Products Loading Fee of \$150 per 8,000 gallons (1.875¢ per gallon). Rate was \$80 per 8,000 gallons (1¢ per gallon) prior to 7/1/96. Owners of LPG-powered vehicles up to 54,000 pounds gross vehicle weight may pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>New York - Rates are variable, adjusted annually. There is an additional tax on motor carriers of 8.5¢ per gallon of gasoline and 9.6¢ on diesel. Rates include the Petroleum Business Tax of 14.35¢ per gallon. The gasoline rate includes a 0.5 mill (0.05¢) per gallon Petroleum Testing Fee.</p> <p>North Carolina - Rates are variable, adjusted semiannually.</p> <p>North Dakota - A special excise tax of 2% is imposed on all sales of special fuel (diesel or LPG) that are exempted from the volume tax if the fuel is sold for use in the State. There is a producer credit of 40¢ per gallon of agriculturally derived alcohol produced in the State and used to make gasohol.</p> <p>Ohio - Commercial vehicles formerly subject to the highway use tax pay an additional 3¢ per gallon. Dealers are refunded 10¢ per gallon of each qualified fuel (ethanol or methanol) blended with unleaded gasoline.</p> <p>Oklahoma - Rates shown include 1¢ per gallon tax dedicated to the Petroleum Underground Tank Release Environmental Cleanup Indemnity Fund. When the Fund reaches specified balance, future tax revenues will be deposited in a highway fund. The gasoline, gasohol, and LPG rates include 0.08¢ for fuel inspection. LPG users may pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Oregon - The diesel and LPG rates shown are paid by users for vehicles not under the jurisdiction of Public Utility Commissioner. Vehicles under the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commissioner and paying motor-carrier fees are exempt from payment of the motor-fuel tax.</p> <p>Pennsylvania - The rates include the Oil Franchise Tax for Maintenance and Construction, a variable rate tax adjusted monthly. Motor carriers pay an additional 6¢ per gallon.</p> <p>Rhode Island - Rates are variable, adjusted quarterly. Rates includes 1¢ per gallon tax for the Underground Storage Tank Financial Responsibility Fund.</p> <p>South Dakota - There is a credit at the rate of the gasoline tax to distributors blending gasoline with ethanol to produce gasohol. There is also a producer incentive payment of 20¢ per gallon.</p> <p>Tennessee - LPG users without permits must pay in advance at the beginning of the fiscal year; others pay quarterly. Fee is based on vehicle weight and fuel efficiency. Sales tax rate on aviation fuel is 4.5 percent.</p> <p>Texas - Owners of LPG vehicles registered in the State must pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.</p> <p>Utah - LPG is tax exempt if user purchases annual exemption certificate.</p> <p>Vermont - Diesel vehicles 10,000 pounds and over pay 26¢ per gallon. LPG vehicles are subject to a registration fee 1.75 times the usual fee. The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 1¢ per gallon for the Petroleum Cleanup Fund.</p> <p>Virginia - Motor-carrier road tractors, tractor trucks and straight trucks with more than 2 axes pay an additional 3.5¢ per gallon.</p> <p>Washington - Owners of LPG vehicles pay an annual fee.</p> <p>West Virginia - Rates are variable, adjusted annually.</p> <p>Wisconsin - Rates are variable, adjusted annually.</p> <p>Wyoming - LPG is subject to sales tax. The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 1¢ for the Underground Storage Tank Corrective Action Account.</p> <p>2/ The gasohol rates shown are for gasoline blended with 10 percent ethanol.</p>		

**MOTOR FUEL TAX RATES
FOR SELECTED COUNTRIES¹
AS OF JUNE 1, 1997**

(CENTS PER GALLON)

COUNTRY	GASOLINE	DIESEL
Belgium	268	149
France	283	171
Germany	255	152
Italy	271	188
Netherlands	277	157
United Kingdom	273	245
Japan	196	119
United States 2/	37	44
<p>1/ Source for foreign rates is data collected by the U.S. Department of Energy from various sources. Rates were converted to U.S. currency using current exchange rates.</p> <p>2 / Includes the weighted average of State taxes as shown on Table MF-121T plus the Federal tax.</p>		

Note to Users of Monthly Motor-Fuel Retail Price Data:

Beginning with the January 1997 issue, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) reinstituted motor fuel price data using data collected by the U. S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration (EIA) as the source for Table MF-5, "Retail Prices of Motor Fuel". The EIA Table 31 - "Motor Gasoline Prices by Grade, Sales Type, PAD District (Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes)" will be used as the base information for the FHWA Table MF-5. The EIA data, which is based on the EIA-782 survey, was implemented in 1983 to fulfill EIA legislative requirements and community data needs. The FHWA will follow EIA protocols and requirements in making the data available to "Monthly Motor Fuel" customers.

Because the "Sales to End Users - Through Retail Outlets" data does not include Federal, State, and local taxes, FHWA will add Federal motor fuel and State motor fuel taxes to the EIA data. Federal Highway User Taxes (Table FE-21B) and State Tax Rates on Motor Fuel (Table MF-121T) are the FHWA sources for this data. Excluded from the total are other taxes such as local taxes and sales taxes applied to motor fuel, etc.

Users of Table MF-5 should consult the "Explanatory Notes" of the EIA Publication "Petroleum Marketing Monthly" (DOE/EIA-0380) before making use of the retail price information. The "Explanatory Notes" contain important information on the design of the sample, the continuity of the data, collection methods processing, non-disclosure, and revisions.

Pre-January 1997 retail price data was furnished by a source other than EIA. Because the sample design, collection methods, processing, and other data considerations differ between the two sources, users are particularly cautioned not to make direct comparisons of the data using previous MF-5 retail price data for any trend line comparisons.

RETAIL PRICES OF MOTOR FUEL - 1997¹

(SALES TO END USERS - THROUGH RETAIL OUTLETS)

TABLE MF-5
JUNE 1997

(DOLLARS PER GALLON)

STATE	JANUARY			FEBRUARY			MARCH			APRIL			MAY			JUNE		
	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE
Alabama	119.6	128.4	137.8	118.6	127.5	137.4	116.8	126.2	134.4									
Alaska	149.9	141.4	159.1	151.7	141.8	161.0	140.4	141.1	154.5									
Arizona	125.9	134.1	143.4	131.1	139.2	148.8	133.2	140.4	150.1									
Arkansas	117.7	126.7	134.4	116.2	125.2	132.6	114.4	123.3	131.9									
California	115.7	123.6	133.4	119.5	127.9	136.8	121.6	129.9	138.7									
Colorado	130.9	141.8	151.0	130.0	140.8	150.1	126.8	137.5	145.4									
Connecticut	148.5	158.4	166.7	146.8	156.3	165.2	141.8	151.4	160.2									
Delaware	126.8	135.8	144.4	124.9	134.0	142.6	121.7	131.1	139.9									
Dist. of Col. 1/	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W									
Florida	116.8	125.8	133.9	115.6	125.1	132.8	112.0	122.6	130.0									
Georgia	103.7	113.4	123.3	101.8	111.5	121.2	99.5	109.6	118.7									
Hawaii	147.2	153.0	162.9	147.0	152.2	161.2	145.1	150.4	160.9									
Idaho	130.3	139.2	144.5	131.0	138.8	144.6	133.2	140.3	146.8									
Illinois	125.9	135.4	142.0	122.3	131.9	138.4	118.6	127.6	136.1									
Indiana	117.5	125.4	132.2	114.2	122.1	129.1	110.8	118.7	125.1									
Iowa	120.7	123.9	129.9	118.7	121.6	128.3	116.6	120.2	125.5									
Kansas	118.3	124.8	131.6	117.2	123.3	130.2	114.8	120.5	127.2									
Kentucky	117.9	128.0	134.3	116.6	126.9	131.6	116.4	125.2	134.2									
Louisiana	118.7	128.6	136.7	117.9	128.2	136.2	116.3	126.6	134.8									
Maine	128.4	138.4	145.9	126.4	136.7	143.7	124.3	134.4	141.9									
Maryland	131.6	140.1	146.6	128.2	137.2	143.9	126.0	133.7	139.8									
Massachusetts	129.1	138.5	145.6	127.8	137.1	144.1	124.0	133.6	140.1									
Michigan	116.7	124.6	132.4	113.0	121.1	128.4	108.6	117.1	123.1									
Minnesota	131.0	137.2	143.7	128.7	133.8	140.3	126.3	130.4	137.4									
Mississippi	120.8	130.3	139.2	130.1	129.8	138.2	117.8	126.4	135.4									
Missouri	117.1	125.7	134.4	113.1	121.2	129.6	109.9	117.6	125.4									
Montana	136.1	143.4	146.4	135.2	142.4	145.6	135.5	143.1	146.4									
Nebraska	127.1	131.2	137.1	125.8	129.3	136.6	124.3	127.7	137.3									
Nevada	140.8	148.0	157.1	144.6	150.7	159.3	137.2	143.8	152.1									
New Hampshire	126.4	136.1	144.1	125.1	135.1	142.7	122.5	131.8	139.2									
New Jersey	117.0	128.1	136.3	115.4	126.4	134.0	111.5	122.6	130.5									
New Mexico	128.1	136.8	143.4	127.4	136.0	142.9	122.0	130.0	136.6									
New York	129.3	136.6	144.4	128.3	135.0	143.1	123.6	132.5	139.2									
North Carolina	120.4	129.2	139.0	119.4	128.3	137.3	117.9	128.0	136.7									
North Dakota	133.5	139.1	144.0	132.0	135.2	142.4	129.3	136.5	136.1									
Ohio	121.7	130.4	138.4	118.7	127.4	135.0	117.3	126.3	134.0									
Oklahoma	114.2	120.0	126.5	111.6	116.9	123.7	110.2	115.2	121.5									
Oregon 1/	NA	NA	NA	133.9	143.9	150.5	133.5	148.0	152.2									
Pennsylvania	129.7	137.9	146.2	127.8	136.2	144.2	122.7	131.5	139.0									
Rhode Island	134.8	142.1	149.3	133.0	140.3	147.3	129.1	137.8	144.6									
South Carolina	112.7	122.2	132.6	111.9	121.3	131.5	108.9	119.4	128.2									
South Dakota	129.0	133.8	141.7	128.3	131.5	139.6	126.8	128.7	136.1									
Tennessee	118.7	128.8	137.4	118.2	128.3	136.2	116.1	126.0	134.1									
Texas	119.3	127.4	135.5	118.5	126.8	134.7	115.5	124.7	132.0									
Utah	121.4	129.9	138.3	123.5	132.1	140.5	122.6	130.5	139.5									
Vermont	127.4	135.3	143.9	127.0	134.8	144.0	123.4	132.6	140.4									
Virginia	120.1	129.3	137.2	118.7	128.2	135.7	116.6	126.1	134.1									
Washington	125.7	134.8	146.2	129.6	138.2	148.9	130.3	137.6	149.1									
West Virginia	130.1	139.0	146.3	129.7	138.7	145.6	127.0	135.9	142.2									
Wisconsin	126.4	134.8	139.2	124.1	132.4	136.9	120.8	128.8	132.8									
Wyoming	117.3	126.6	131.9	117.4	127.2	132.9	118.6	125.9	131.2									
U.S. Average																		
Diesel 2/	1.297			1.288			1.251											

1/ Gasoline prices are taken from the U. S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration's Petroleum Marketing Monthly Report, Table 31 - Motor Gasoline Prices by Grade, Sales Type, PAD District (Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes). Taxes have been included using Federal Highway Administration's Table MF-121T - Tax Rates on Motor Fuel and Table FE-21B Federal Highway User Taxes. Data may be withheld or not available for a few States monthly because of non-disclosure.

2/ Diesel prices are averages from a survey conducted by the U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration and reflect prices in the last week of the month shown. State level information is not available, but regional level information is updated weekly (on Mondays) and may be obtained by dialing the National Energy Information Center's fuel price hotline at 202-586-6966.